

In the Drawings

The Examiner noted that Figures 1-8B are objected to as failing to comply with 37 CFR 1.84 because descriptive labels necessary for understanding the drawings are missing since the description of the invention contains reference numbers that do not appear in the drawings. The Examiner also provided a Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review that identified defects to the drawings under 37 CFR 1.84(e) and (p)(3). Namely, Figure 8A included copy machine marks and Figures 1-8B contained non-standard character sizes, e.g., numbers, letters and reference characters less than 1/8 inch in height. A proposed set of drawings is attached as Appendix A to this amendment to overcome the Examiner's objections. Following the Examiner's approval of the form of the proposed drawings, Applicants will submit a formal set of drawings that will comply in all respects with 37 CFR 1.84.

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